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Elba City Council Passes New Use Tax

The Elba City Council met Monday night for the second regular meeting of the new administration. The newly-started plan of having the ministers from local churches open the meetings with a word of prayer continued with Rev. G.D. Galloway of Bethel AME leading the prayer. All members were present and the minutes were approved routinely without a lengthy discussion, as all members had copies before them. The council unanimously purchased a police car, passed a use tax, appointed a Senior Citizens Advisory committee, stopped payroll deductions for individual, private payments, and in general continued a show of harmony.

Police Chief Ray Norris reported business was routine, gave councilmen copies of status reports and recommended passage of a dog leash law.

Norris noted the many complaints from citizens on unruly dogs, and said there had been six separate dog bite incidents in Elba since he became chief, less than a month ago. Norris pointed out a change in the state law that mandates that a dog responsible for a bite must now be confined for the required number of days by a licensed vet and not in a home pen. Mayor Bob English appointed Councilmen John W. Sharpless and Charles Kennett as a committee to study various such leash laws, and recommended a course of action to the Council.

City Engineer Jim Williams reported to the Council on the proposal to purchase gasoline at service stations rather than wholesale. Williams said he had been in error to think the wholesale direction was not the best way. He said

it was cheaper and more convenient to maintain the tanks at the city barn, and that he was sure there was no loss of gas through misappropriation from the tanks.

Williams also reported on the project to patch all potholes in city streets. He showed photographs of a large patch of torn blacktop that required 10 tons of asphalt to properly repair. The location was in Morrow Village.

Howard E. Brown, representing the Army Aviation Museum, spoke to the Council and asked for support in efforts to raise funds to build a permanent facility for the museum. English appointed Councilmen Cleo Hawkins and David Stokes to recommend a chairman for this committee. Hawkins

made a motion to draft a resolution supporting this project. It was unanimously approved.

Bill Tucker, engineer with G. Reynolds Watkins, reported to the Council on the progress with the feasibility study on the power dam and on the 210 sewer system survey.

Tucker told the Council the hydro plant study was 80% complete. He also voiced an opinion that it wouldn't be feasible to put the plant back into operation. Even if grants are available to make it practical, it will only be marginal, said Tucker. He pointed out the erosion and a 1-inch movement in the main portion of the spillway, coupled with the bad break in the run-around, as things which could be fixed, but the cost would be high.

When asked if Elba could abandon the project at this time, Tucker told the Council it was impossible without assuming the entire cost of the project and paying the government back the entire \$31,000. He noted that only 10% would have to be paid back if the project was completed and shown to be not feasible.

Tucker said the 201 sewer survey project was on schedule and Phase 1 would be complete in three or four months. He noted that then Elba would go into the design-and-planning phase, once this Phase-I-needs survey was complete. The project is a federally funded project.

Airport Manager Dean Kyle resigned after voicing his disapproval of receiving a registered letter from Mayor English containing copies of an inspection report made by Councilman Sonny Inman and Cleo Hawkins made without his knowledge. Kyle said he had continually asked for support from the city, and during the past five years had received none. He pointed out that the grass had not been cut in over three years and there were weeds shoulder high obstructing pilots' view. Kyle said he had removed all his trucks from the airport and was resigning due to a lack of cooperation. English thanked him for his service and expressed a hope that Kyle would be available for assistance when the city begins doing some of the things needed at the airport.

An often-misunderstood tax - use tax - was unanimously approved by the City Council, but not without opposition from industry. A special meeting a week earlier had resolved most of the problems from citizens and industry, but Byron Stinson of Windham Manufacturing Company strongly protested the tax, and voiced support instead for an additional 1-cent sales tax. He said this tax would hurt industry at a time when efforts were being made to give jobs to Elba people. The use tax will become effective as soon as the paper work can be done to smoothly implement the collection.

A motion by Hawkins to abandon the practice of bill-paying for employees by payroll deduction was quickly approved by all councilmen after they were told of continuing problems in accounting for these funds in the payroll department.

A new police car, a 1981 blue Chevrolet Impala, with the "police package" was purchased from Cook Chevrolet. Only two bids were received and Ray Hughes Chevrolet of Enterprise was actually lower, but the car was purchased from Cook, using a clause in the law that allows a 3% variance in accepting the low bid with purchasing locally. This would save in the long run to service convenience, etc., said Inman who pointed out the 3% phase of the law.

A report from the committee planning a permanent location for a go-kart track indicated work was being done but no decision had been reached.

A 30-day option has been received by the City on possible purchase of some property on Smith Avenue, according to an announcement by English. It was noted, however, that if the land is bought before a recreation grant is received, the grant money can't



HOWARD BROWN, REV. G.D. GALLOWAY



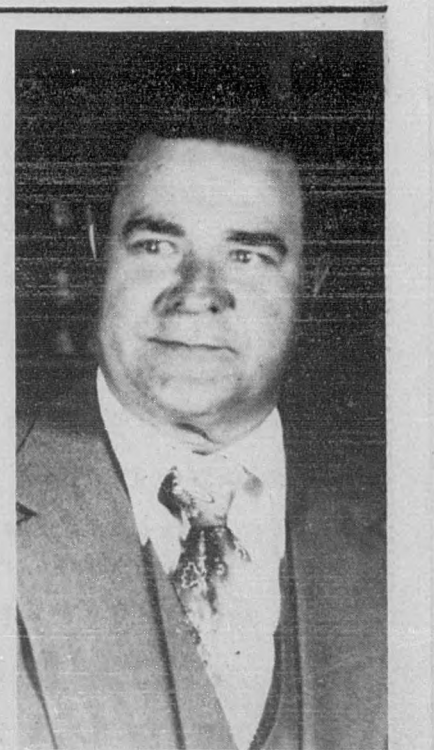
CITY ENGINEER JIM WILLIAMS

be applied to the land.

Councilmen Hawkins and Sharpless were appointed to a Senior Citizens Committee by English, as was Mrs. Earl Peters. Councilman Inman was named to head a city beautification committee and reported he had already contacted people about a master plan on a face lift for the downtown section.

Bills of \$13,382.10 were approved for payment, and an announcement of posting all bid requests on a bulletin board at the front of the city hall was made by English.

Just as the meeting adjourned, Hawkins made a motion to formally accept the resignation of airport manager Dean Kyle. The acceptance was unanimous.



Elba's Marion Brunson, has been released by the publisher, Portals Press of Tuscaloosa. The two-hundred-page book, "Our Bailey-Staggers History and Genealogy," is a history of Brunson's late mother's paternal family. These Crenshaw County families have many descendants in the Central and South Alabama area who will want copies of Brunson's latest literary achievement. The book contains numerous photographs and is dedicated to his late mother, Mary Bailey Brunson, of Elba. Allied family genealogy also found in the book includes Ham, Watson, Liffage and Barrineau. Brunson is principal of Elba Elementary School, and his wife, Nancy, and their two sons, Bailey and Matthew, make their home on Brunson Hill here in Elba.

Coffee County Voters Agree With Nation, Vote For Reagan Over Carter

Coffee County voters followed the nation in voting for Governor Reagan for the next president of the United States, with a vote of 6510 to 6140 for President Jimmy Carter. However, Coffee County voters also placed old family ties ahead of other things and bucked the statewide trend and voted for Democrat Jim Folsom, Jr., over ultimate winner, Republican Admiral Jeremiah Denton for the U.S. Senate seat now held by Donald Stewart. The county vote was 6764 for Folsom and 6152 for Denton.

Family ties almost disappeared when the U.S. Representative vote was taken. Democratic State Representative Cecil Wyatt challenged incumbent Republican Bill Dickinson for the

Washington seat Dickinson has held since the 1964 Goldwater sweep. Wyatt was raised as a sharecropper in Coffee County and got a heavy vote in the county, but lost in the county, as he did statewide. The county vote was 7165 for Dickinson and 5090 for Wyatt.

The advantage Republicans seem to have had Tuesday didn't spill over into the Public Service Commission race, as former George Wallace Press Secretary Billy Joe Camp lived up to his expectations and won heavily over Republican Gordon Tucker and two other candidates.

District Attorney Joel Folmar faced the Chairman of the Coffee County Republican Committee, Tom Haigh, for

the District Attorney's office representing Coffee and Pike Counties. Democrat Folmar won the race and carried all but two or three boxes in the district.

The seven constitutional amendments all passed in Coffee County and statewide. Only three directly concerned Coffee County, and county voters overwhelmingly approved these. One concerned allowing farmers to set up a check-off program and passed seven to one. Another cleared up some old problems with the law and court rulings, and also passed heavily. Number three was concerning divorce alimony and it won almost as largely as the check-off amendment.

Joel Folmar Is Chairman Of Committee

District Attorney Joel M. Folmar, who serves Pike and Coffee Counties, has been appointed chairman of the Alabama Child Support Enforcement Committee. His appointment was announced by C.C. (Bo) Torbert, Chief Justice of the Alabama Supreme Court and Thomas W. Sorrells, President of the Alabama District Attorney's Association.

The Child Support Enforcement Committee reviews proposed legislation, recommends forms and procedures for handling cases and recommends education programs for child support enforcement personnel.

In announcing the appointment of Folmar, along with the naming of the 12 members of the committee, Torbert said, "The work of this committee is crucial in developing more effective means of enforcing child support orders, thereby reducing the burden placed on taxpayers."

On his appointment, Folmar said, "I am honored that the Chief Justice and Mr. Sorrells have recognized me for this honor. I feel it is a recognition of the work we have done in Pike and Coffee Counties in establishing and developing the child support enforcement program here.

Tag Season

Ends Nov. 15th

The deadline draws nearer for purchasing licenses and tags without a penalty. County and state business licenses are due by this Friday, and car tags must be bought by November 15 to avoid a penalty.

The Coffee County courthouse is open during the noon hour and on Saturdays until noon during this fall rush season.

Farm And Garden

Center Closed

Clyde Collier, owner and manager of the Farm and Garden Center, across the street from The Elba Clipper, stopped by the office Wednesday to say the store would be closed for the next two weeks, and possibly the entire month. Clyde's wife is being transferred to Gainesville, Florida, for surgery later this week.

Graddick Warns Of Travel Contest

Attorney General Charles A. Graddick has cautioned Alabamians in receiving postal cards from a company known as National Travel, Inc., in Sparta, Tennessee, that the business may be using deceptive practices.

Graddick said the card may lead recipients to believe they have won something, when, in reality, they must pay a fee of \$49.50 to receive a vacation to Florida. Consumers also must pay for the long-distance call to find out how to receive the trip, unless they send in their telephone bill to the company for a refund.

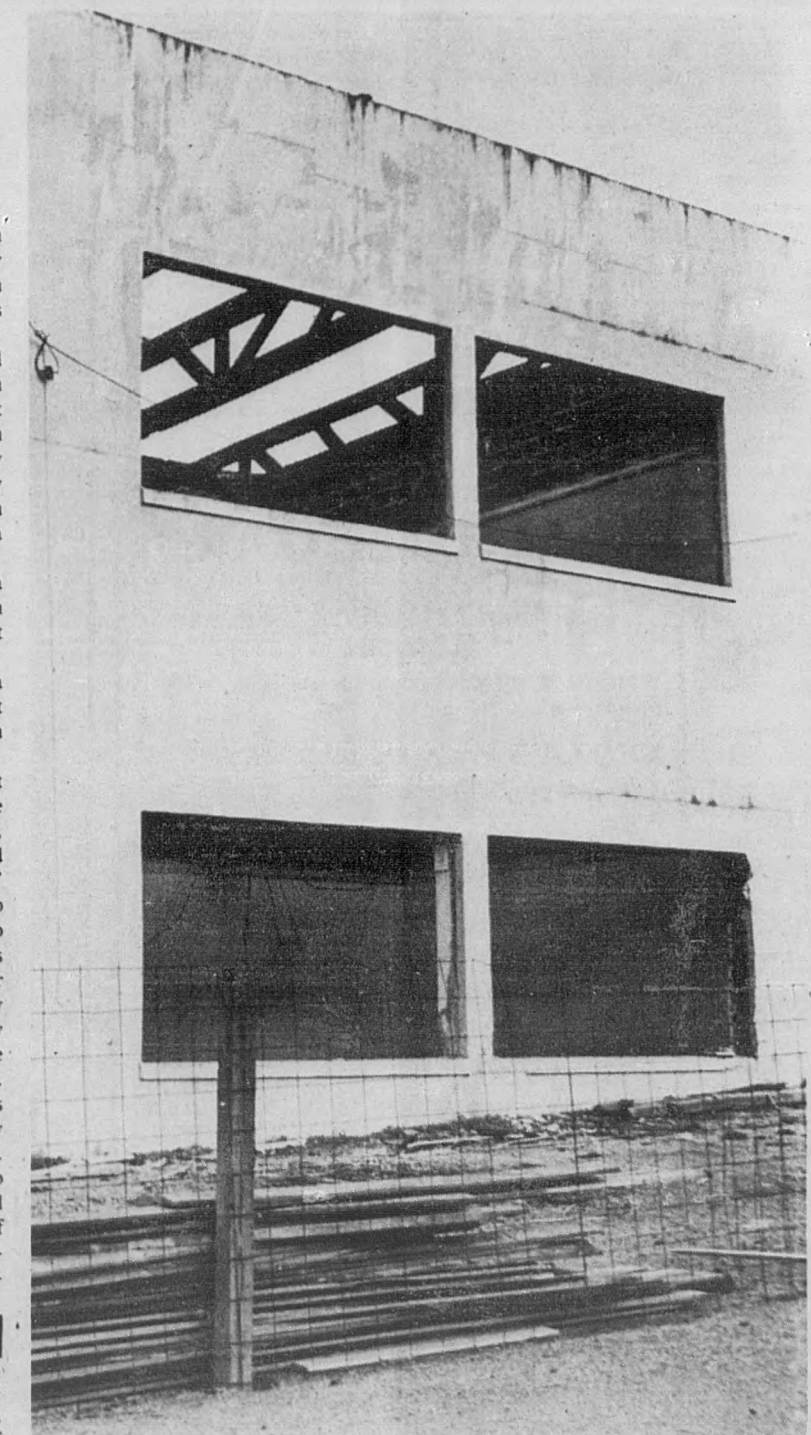
Some callers have been asked for a credit card number and the \$49.50 then has been billed to that card without their knowledge, Graddick said.

Persons making the trip to Florida often find out only after they arrive, that the purpose of the trip is to sell them real estate.

According to a consent judgement brought against the company by the Tennessee Attorney General's Office, the card is not supposed to lead recipients to believe they have "won" anything. The card is supposed to inform them that it is an offer to purchase a vacation. When recipients call the number listed on the card, their questions must be answered honestly by the company. If the callers ask, they must be told that the purpose of the vacation plan is to sell them real estate.

The Tennessee Attorney General's Office still is investigating the company and is considering a contempt citation. Graddick said Alabama citizens who feel they have been duped by National Travel, Inc., should contact his Office of Consumer Protection, 560 S. McDonough Street, Montgomery, Alabama 36104.

Because of a dark room accident on Tuesday of this week that destroyed 4 rolls of film, several photos taken recently are not in this week's issue of The Clipper. Included on the film destroyed were Zho Chapel School pictures, Elba-Andalusia football pictures, Elba and New Brockton Halloween scenes, and several miscellaneous pictures.



School Construction Continues....

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POOR ORIGINAL



Miss Leisa Reaves To Marry

Mr. Donald Miller

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S. Reaves of Elba announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Leisa, to Donald L. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Miller, of Elba. Miss Reaves is the granddaughter of Mrs. D.C. Danford, New Brockton, and the late D.C. Danford; and the

"Thanksgiving Day, Indian Style"

Why not spend Thanksgiving Day, November 27, 1980, with the Poarch Band of Creek Indians, at their 10th annual POW WOW? Each year thousands of Alabamians and folks from all over the country gather at the Tribal Center, located in Poarch, Alabama, 8 miles northwest of Wetumpka, Alabama, just off Interstate 65.

Gates will open at 8 A.M. with the opening ceremony on the mound at 10 A.M. Continuous activity on the mound will feature Indian Dancing, Crowning of the Princess, plus Competition Indian Dancing, with Dancers from all over the Southeast trying for over \$500.00 in prize money. At 12:00 noon, our special guest Jake Whitecrow, Executive Director of the National Indian Health Board will be speaking.

Not only will activity be continuous on the mound, but through out the Tribal Center Grounds. Kids will love the Grease Pig Chase, Tomahawk throwing contest, Bow and Arrow competition, and many other Indian Sports.

One of the main features of the POW WOW is over 100 craftsmen displaying their wares. They will amaze you with Indian Crafts like Silverware, Pottery, Quilts, Beadwork, Jewelry, Baskets, and hundreds of other items.

This year, give Mom a break from cooking all day. We will delight you with our Famous Indian Roast Corn, Fry Bread and Hominy, and other traditional Indian Foods. Or select a delicious traditional Thanksgiving Dinner with all the trimmings, Open Pit Bar-b-que, or regular concessions. One thing for certain, you will not get hungry at the POW WOW.

Walk back in history and celebrate Thanksgiving Day with the Poarch Band of Creek Indians, at their 10th Annual POW WOW. Bring your lawn chairs, and stay all day. Admission is \$1.00 under six free. Plenty of free parking.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Brown, of Pensacola, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Wilson, after attending the homecoming game at Troy State University Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson entertained friends and former classmates with a fish fry at the home of the Wilsons.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Vance Roberson, Gadsden, Al.; Mr. and Mrs. Rick Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Owens and son, Miss Susan Owens of Troy State, Mr. Butch Taylor, Montgomery, Al.; Miss Laurie MacNeil, Pensacola; Mr. Andy Whitener, Birmingham; Miss Teresa Wilson, Miss Debbie Seagers, Dothan; and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wilson, Zion Chapel.

Society

Elba Nursing Home To Hold Annual Bazaar

The Elba Nursing Home announces its 7th annual bazaar to be held Saturday, November 22, 1980. Location will be in the dining room of the nursing home, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Throughout the year, residents have created, and assisted in the creation of, many articles to be sold at this event. Old favorites that will be available this year are: Quilts, yo-yo dolls, hand-crafted wall and interior decorations, useful household articles, cookies, candy, etc.

A new trend this past year has been crocheting among the residents, and many articles of this type will be available.

Male residents have been busy sanding and decoupageing wood products, and have used these items as wall plaques, mug and key racks, coat hangers, etc. Many volunteers have made craft items to sell also.

These include cookies, candy and many varied crocheted items, and a cake for a door prize.

Proceeds from this event will be used to purchase craft materials, residents' Christmas presents, Mother's and Father's Day gifts, bingo prizes, refreshments for special events, and many other projects throughout the year.

In addition to the earnings, this sale gives the residents an opportunity to meet and visit with the public as they come in.

"These bazaars are successful only with the support of the community," said Lorene Bryan of the nursing home. "It is a proven fact that being busy creates happiness and contentment, and the craft program, along with other programs at the nursing home, have this fact as their daily goal," added Mrs. Bryan.

Everyone is invited to this affair.

October's Saturday afternoons are the most perfect, and as one would desire, the most excellent time of year to have a pretty party! Especially when the two-story white house is in an ideal setting. The referral is to the lovely home of the Charles Hayes family on North Claxton Street.

The stately pines, with the quivering needles were covered with verdant climbing ivy; the evergreen holly and shiny Magnolia, interspersed with a variety of perennials with swaying branches of fall foliage, set the mood for this occasion.

A cluster of white wedding bells, cooing doves and satin streamers gave the welcome note.

The guests were greeted by Mrs. Hayes. She stood near the entrance, which was enhanced with two tall silver urns on fern stands, filled with long-stemmed multi-colored roses and baby's breath.

In the receiving line were the family members and the honoree, Susan Brunson Maddox, Mrs. A.C. Brunson, Jr., Mrs. Jack Maddox, Mrs. Lee Johnson and Mrs. A.C. Brunson, Sr.

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Pictured L to R: Mrs. Lee Johnson, Mrs. A.C. Brunson, Jr., Mrs. Keith Maddox, honoree; Mrs. Jack Maddox, Mrs. A.C. Brunson, Sr., and Mrs. Charles Hayes.

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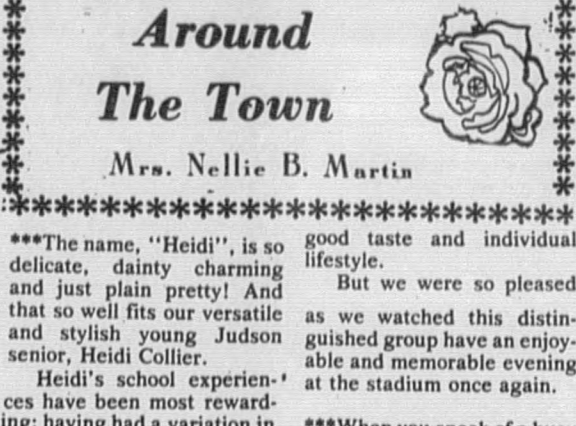
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BLACK AND GOLD REVIEW

BY: LISA SMITH

Foley's Follies

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Helen's roaming in the halls Above all humanity Foley's climbing up the walls, Losing sanity.

Amos can't sit on his desk Are a strange pair of fanatics Thompson's class is eating last As Coach Wood has de-manded!

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Two math teachers from Abbeville and one from Elba were among the 80 instructors attending the Alabama Council of Teachers of Mathematics District IX Conference-Workshop held at Lurleen B. Wallace State Junior College in Andalusia, Oct. 24. The teachers are Jim Carter, left and Mrs. Ruby Nichols, center, both of Abbeville, and Mrs. Mary T. Carnley, Elba.



Contestants To Be In Miss Elba Pageant

The young ladies will be competing for the title of Miss Elba and Miss Bronze on Dec. 4.

Choreographers for the pageant are Sherrie Donaldson and Donna Hudson, who will be teaching the contestants a production number to be performed that night. The pageant is sponsored by the Elba Annual Staff.



Cheerleader Of The Week

PATRISHA DANIELS is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kimmie Daniels. This is her first year as a Varsity Cheerleader. She is a member of the French Club, FFA and "E" Club. She enjoys playing basketball and cheering for the Elba Tigers. Her hobbies include swimming, dancing with the Foye Chicks and being around friends. Congratulations!!

VICA Spotlight

DELORES KELLEY is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kelley. She is employed at National Security as a secretary. She plans to enter the VICA contest in the Office Procedures Category. She enjoys skating, fishing, bowling and being with friends. Congratulations!!

Thought For The Day

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Teacher Of The Week

MR. LEWIS was chosen as teacher of the week. He is instructor of auto mechanics. He has a B.S. Degree from Ahtens State College. He enjoys gardening. He is married to Betty Lewis. He has two children Cindy and Keith. Congratulations!!

ZION CHAPEL

REBEL NEWS

EDITORS: SANDRA MOBLEY HAYES WHITE
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ZC Band Director Judges Contest

By: Ricky Nickolson

Mr. Randal Myers, Band Director at Zion Chapel, left late Friday night on a trip to Valdosta, Georgia. The purpose of the trip was to judge the Fifth Annual Southern Open Band Competition. He judged drum majors in the preliminaries and in the finals. He judged marching and maneuvering. The five bands with the highest score in the preliminaries returned to the finals to compete for the Sweepstakes prize. The winner of the Sweepstakes trophy was Ft. Walton Beach High School with a score of 92.58.

A Visit To Pistol Packing Patty

By: Robbin and Ricky

T'was the night before Halloween when all across the lawn. The house was all dark and the shutters were drawn. From the lonely road four teenagers ran. Their mind set on vengeance with tissue in hand. We put to good use the paper we're buyin', because up through the trees the Charmin went flyin'! Up on the house top with a band a roll went. We knew we had wasted the money we'd spent. She flung the door open with a gun in her hand. "Calamity Jane Myers" had control on her hand! "On please don't shoot us!" we begged with fright! Our fun was then ended for the rest of the night. Back to the car the four teenagers flew when out of the gun barrel the shot then blew. As we were leaving her remarks began "get the heck out of my yard and don't come back again."

FFA Holds First Meeting

By: Kim Dyess

The FFA chapter of Zion Chapel High School 1980 held their first meeting on October 20. Judy Helms, President called the meeting to order. Allison Madrox, Secretary, called the roll. Denise Lott, the recreational leader reported to us that there would be a trip to the National Peanut Festival in Dothan on October 24, 1980. We planned to make a Thanksgiving basket to give to a family selected by the club. Lisa Newson was appointed chairman of this project. Lisa Taylor, Vice President introduced our speaker who was Mrs. Dot Youngblood, an Energy Advisor for South Alabama Electric. She gave us a program on "Energy in the 80's."

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We Goofed!

Due to problems in the darkroom the negatives that contained the Zion Chapel School News and Elba Football pictures were destroyed. We apologize for our error.

State To Have Job Openings

The Alabama State Personnel Department this week announced examinations for filling present vacancies in the following positions:

- Social Worker Aide I (\$10,244 - \$12,454)
- *Forest Ranger I (\$10,907 - \$13,322)
- Correctional Investigative Services Officer (\$16,510 - \$19,201)
- Fingerprint Classifier (\$11,661 - \$14,235)
- Docks Guard (\$11,661 - \$14,235)

Full information and application forms may be obtained from the State Personnel Department at Montgomery or from any local office of the State Employment Service. Applications should be filed by November 17, 1980.



It is reported that on the day of his wedding Gerald Ford was so nervous he appeared at the ceremony wearing one black and one brown shoe.

Little League Homecoming Held

By: Sandra Mobley

Little League Homecoming was celebrated at Zion Chapel on Saturday, October 25. Homecoming activities began at 6 o'clock with the presentation of the Court. They are Christine Eddins, Jr.

FFA Sell Oranges

By: Steve McCarroll

If you like oranges, grapefruit, or tangelos, you are in luck! The students taking agribusiness and the FFA members at Zion Chapel are selling oranges. They will be selling until Nov. 14. They want to sell 750 cases. The prices range from \$8.50 to \$10.00 a case. The money will go for various projects that the FFA has planned.

FHA & FFA

Students Attend Fair

The Zion Chapel Chapter of Future Homemakers and Future Farmers attended the National Peanut Festival in Dothan on Thursday, October 24, 1980. They viewed the educational exhibits on display and attended a livestock show. They ate lunch in Dothan before returning to Zion Chapel. FFA Sponsor Elsie Hilton and FFA Sponsor Harold Stewart accompanied the students on the trip.

Little League Have Dance

By: Robbin Day

The Rebel Pee Wee's and Termites were given a homecoming dance sponsored by the Pee Wee cheerleaders and their mothers. The dance was held in Mrs. Lowery's room. The D.J. for the dance was Hayes White.

The Little League Rebels are undefeated this season with hopes to claim a first place in the playoff games that will include the teams the Rebels have played during regular season.

Lindsey Prepares For Basketball

BY BOYD DEAL

Employees of the Coffee County Board of Education and the Zion Chapel School have been working hard on the Z.C. gym the last couple of weeks. The inside and outside of the gym has been painted. Then Coach Lindsey and some of the students buffed and cleaned the floor. Two people from the county came and put polyurethane on the floor.

Seniors Feel Reality

By: Mary Jo Hussey

The Seniors have finally felt the hard crunch on their billfolds! Senior portraits which were made at the beginning of school were finally sent back with their orders. On Wednesday, October 29, 1980, if this wasn't crushing enough, on Wednesday, November 5, 1980, the orders for graduation invitations, class keys and memory books were placed. For many of the members of the Senior Class, ordering invitations and portraits makes graduating a reality.

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Views From
THE
PRESSBOXBy Ricky Mulatz
Sports Editor

A wise old coach once said that more games are lost than won, and that was certainly the case Friday night when the Elba Tigers "lost" to Andalusia Elba got inside the Andy 15-yardline on 4 separate occasions during the game, yet was able to score only 6 points. Andalusia, on the other hand, never really got its offense rolling and its longest drive of the night covered a mere 27 yards. However, Andy did score 7 points and that was all it took to win. To call it a "tough loss" would be the understatement of the season.

A lot of fans were disappointed after Friday night's loss, but, before you go off and feel sorry for yourself, just stop and think how the coaches and players feel. They work their butts off every week in practice and have to put up with knocks and bruises that would put you in the bed, but they have to keep going and just keep practicing. On game nights they give it all they have, and even though they make mistakes they can't quit and start over again. They just keep going and hope they don't make anymore mistakes. We all forget it at times, but those players are young men and they are prone to make mistakes. How can you give up on our team when they work hard every single day and they bust their tails on Friday night?

I haven't and I hope all of you will come out Friday night in Brundidge and show our team we're still behind them. As long as they keep trying I'll keep backing 'em!

I couldn't believe it Friday night when I heard Kinston beat New Brockton 40-7. I had told some folks that I thought Brockton would win, but if they didn't, that Kinston would win big. It was a big win for Coach Ricky Rainer's squad and gave the Bulldogs the Coffee County School System championship. I'm sure the Kinston players aren't pleased with 4 losses, but they've got to be happy about their big wins over Brockton and Zion Chapel!

I listened to Alton's radio last Saturday and while there wasn't much to cheer about, Elba's Russ Wood had a big play that set up Alabama's only score. Russ recovered a fumbled punt late in the half to give Bama a break, and Kim booted a field goal a couple of plays later to put the Tide on top 3-0. It looks like Russ is getting to play more and more each week, and that ain't bad for a sophomore. Keep up the good work, your home town is proud of you!

The area sports scene was filled with action last week, and although there weren't many surprises, there were a lot of good games. Here are some highlights:

***Brundidge, Elba's opponent this week, topped its record to 6-3 with a 13-8 win over Hartford, and Coach Atkins' troops are ready for their big season finale.

***Troy finished its season with a perfect 9-0 record with a surprisingly easy 22-8 win over previously unbeaten Stanhope Elmore.

***Enterprise saw its unbeaten season spoiled when it lost to Fayetteville 28-27, in overtime but the Wildcats are still in the playoffs and still have a good shot at winning another state title.

***Opp, probably the best team in the area, continued to win as they blasted Elmore Co. 34-18 for win #7.

Stand up north a bit, Robert E. Lee blanked Jeff Davis 3-0 to win their Region and end the JD domination.

It's a little hard to believe, but the time has come to sweep out the gym and start basketball practice. Practice started on Monday over at New Brockton, while here in Elba practice will get underway next Wednesday. It's going to be an interesting season, and I hate to admit, but I'm looking forward to it!

Ye old Polish Prognosticator came in grumbling Monday about all the upsets and reported he had thrown his crystal ball out the window. Watch out! This week he's on his own. Last week's picks were correct on 23 out of 30 games. Not bad, but nothing to brag about. Here are this week's forecasts:

ELBA VS. BRUNDIDGE
Elba's team takes its "Black & Gold Pride" to Brundidge to battle the much improved Bulldogs of Coach Leon Atkins. Brundidge will be fired-up and ready to win, but Elba isn't about to give up now!
Elba 19 Brundidge 13

NEW BROCKTON VS. LONG
The Gamecocks got banged-up a little last week and will be missing more than a few feathers when they travel to Skipperville. However, a season ending win may help shoot a few wounds!
New Brockton 20 Long 16

ZION CHAPEL VS. WICKSBURG
The Rebels have played good in recent weeks and would like nothing better than to close out the season with a win at home. Some may call this one an upset!
Zion Chapel 14 Wicksburg 8

KINSTON VS. COFFEE SPRINGS
Kinston owns a 5-4 record, while Coffee Springs is 4-5. Throw the records out the window in this game and look for a hard hitting battle. I'm picking the Dogs in a toss-up!
Kinston 20 Coffee Springs 14

BRANTLEY VS. FT. DEPOSIT
The Bulldogs have shown signs of growing teeth in recent weeks and could just bite the Devils. Brantley will go out a winner, and hopefully regain that ole spirit they used to have!
Brantley 26 Ft. Deposit 6

OTHER PICKS:

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Arton 20 Louisville 7
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Highland Home 21 Goshen 20
Samson 7 Houston Academy 6
McKenzie 34 Lyffion 7
Geneva 28 Florida 7
Socomb 14 Hartford 12
Greenville 21 Georgiana 0
Headland 14 Abbeville 7
Laverne 18 Straughn 0
Opp 17 Andalusia 7
Ashford 20 Daleville 4
Dart 30 Dale County 0
Eufaula 14 Smith Station 8
Monroe Co. 14 Wilcox Co. 6
Jackson 20 Clarke Co. 7
Auburn 27 Opelika 7
Lanier 14 Carver 6
Northview 14 Dotson 7
Enterprise 21 Johnson 14
Fayetteville 28 Alex City 0
Beauregard 14 Chavala 6
Stevenson 20 Bridgeport 7
Mumpka 7 Holtville 0

57 Drivers Compete In
Go-Kart Races At Speedway

The Elba Go-Kart Speedway continued its racing season last Saturday night with a total of 57 entries battling for the trophies. Only 3 drivers entered the "4-8 Stock Division" and the only driver to finish was Mike Amstad, who was declared the winner. The "9-13 Stock Division" had a big 9 kart field, with Bill Hall posting the win, followed by Scott McIntosh and Scott Ogelsby. The "14-17 Stock Division" featured a 4 kart field, but only 2 drivers managed to finish. Mike McIntosh was the winner, followed by Randy Reeves.

A 3 kart field entered the "Micro-Midget" feature with the only finisher and winner being Joe Daugherty. A big 8 kart field entered the "14 & Up Stock Light-weight" with Mike Nelson claiming the win, followed by Ray Eiland and Johnny Grice. In the "14 & Up Stock Heavyweight" feature, a total of 9 drivers were entered, with Tony McDaniel posting the win, followed by Phil Williams. Four lady drivers entered the "Powderpuff Derby" and the winner was Barbara Ogelsby, who was followed by Sharon Eiland.

SPORTS

Elba Tigers To End Season Friday Night Against Speedy Brundidge Bulldogs

The Elba Tigers end the 1980 football season on Friday night, Nov. 7, when they travel to Brundidge to meet the Pike County Bulldogs.

Brundidge, coached by former Elba Coach Leon Atkins, is winding up one of its finest seasons in years and will bring a 6-3 record into the clash. Coach Atkins' squad has posted wins over Abbeville, Daleville, Beauregard, Bullock County, Chavala and Hartford, while the losses came to Andalusia, Eufaula and Smith Station.

"Brundidge has a good team with a combination of size and speed," warned Elba's Coach Mack Wood in a Monday evening interview, "and they'll run a variety of formations, but their favorite seems to be a full-house backfield. It looks a little like

a T-formation, or the old fashioned A-formation, where your two halfbacks are in front of your fullback. They also use a power I, a pro I, a slot and a shotgun. Brundidge has a quarterback who can both run and throw. They look good on offense and attack the whole field. They like to use the wide field, counters and reverses, all unless you recognize what they're doing they will burn you. Brundidge has a real big linemen and will try to just take the ball and stick it right to you. Offensively, they're a very balanced team that can attack you from all directions. If we're to slow them down, we'll have to contain their speed first, be quick and adjust to their formations. We will also have to tackle better than we did

against Andalusia!" "Brundidge has a very strong defense," added Wood. "And they run a split 40, which is the same defense Ashford used. They have two real big tackles that have got to weigh close to 250-pounds each, and they do a good job of clogging-up the middle. They have 4 outstanding linebackers with speed and power, and then we have a couple of their runners in the secondary. Man are they quick on defense! They don't let you get outside, do a good job in the middle and just flat get after ya. We hope we can move the ball against them, and know it will take a super effort from our entire team. We won't try to do a whole lot of things, but what we do we'll try to do well. We plan on team spirit and we'll have to have a team effort."

When asked about last week's loss to Andalusia, Coach Wood stated, "Our mistakes were the difference in the game, we had a bunch of them. We had quite a few mistakes, including fumbles, breakdowns on defense and the missed extra-point. I give Andalusia credit, they got after us better than they have in a couple of years on mistakes."

"Overall," said Coach Wood, "we will have to have a team effort from all our kids if we're to have a chance of winning. It will take real good execution, and we'll have to play solid fundamental football. Our offense has been suspect at times this season, but our major weakness has been our kicking game. We have to improve on all parts of the kicking game and that means everything, from returns to coverage. It's going to be a tough game Friday night and our boys know it. Every man has got to do his job on every play, no matter what position he plays. If nine men do their job and two don't we can't be successful. It's a team sport and we'll have to have a team effort."

Freney is second with 9 touchdowns for 54, while other Elba players listed include Ted Horstead (7th) with 36-points, and Mike Amson (19th) with 18-points.

The leading passer is Geneva's Ricky Peak with 69 completions in 145 attempts, with 15 interceptions, for 884-yards. Elba's Russell Kelley ranks third with 21 completions in 36 attempts and 1 interception for 386-yards.

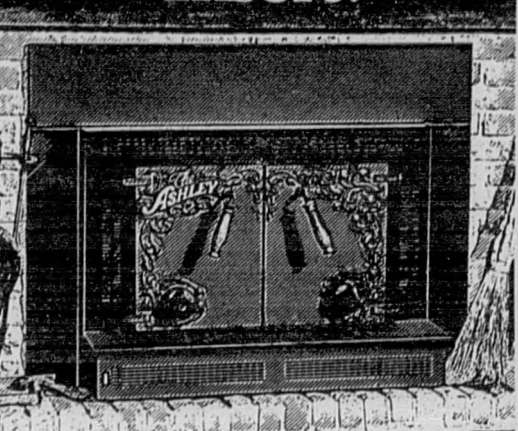
Daleville's Ernie Terry is the top receiver with 16 receptions for 425-yards, followed by Geneva's Danny Hilde with 14 catches for 267-yards. Down in 11th place is Elba's Chris English with 13 catches for 127-yards.

Troy's Todd Rainey has taken over the top spot in punting with a 39.5 average on 29 kicks, followed by Opp's Jeff Waller (38.8) and Elba's Wayne Parker (35.5).

Tied for the lead in interceptions with 4 apiece are Elba's Wayne Parker, Walker County's Paul Shiver, Geneva's Ricky Peak and Opp's Craig Wilson.

Elba's defense, the leader among linemen is Elba's Eddie Coleman with 73 tackles, 31 assists, followed by Brundidge's Willie Collins with 60 tackles & 22 assists. Other Elba players listed include Doug Daniels (17th) with 24 tackles and 12 assists, Stewart Bane (18th) with 24 tackles and 11 assists, and Hal Brunson (21st) with 23 tackles & 7 assists.

In the secondary, the leader is Troy's Paul Felton with 36 tackles and 31 assists, while Elba players listed include Derrick Boutwell (14th) with 15 tackles & 12 assists and Troy Brown (18th) with 14 tackles & 10 assists.

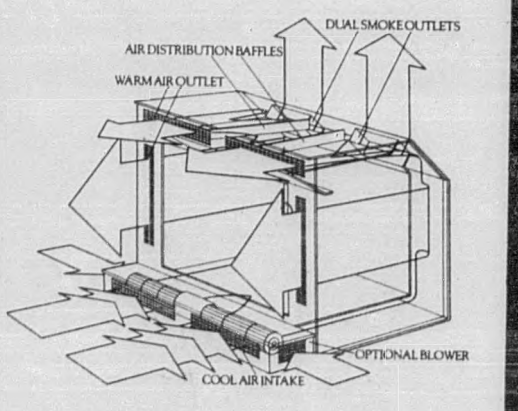
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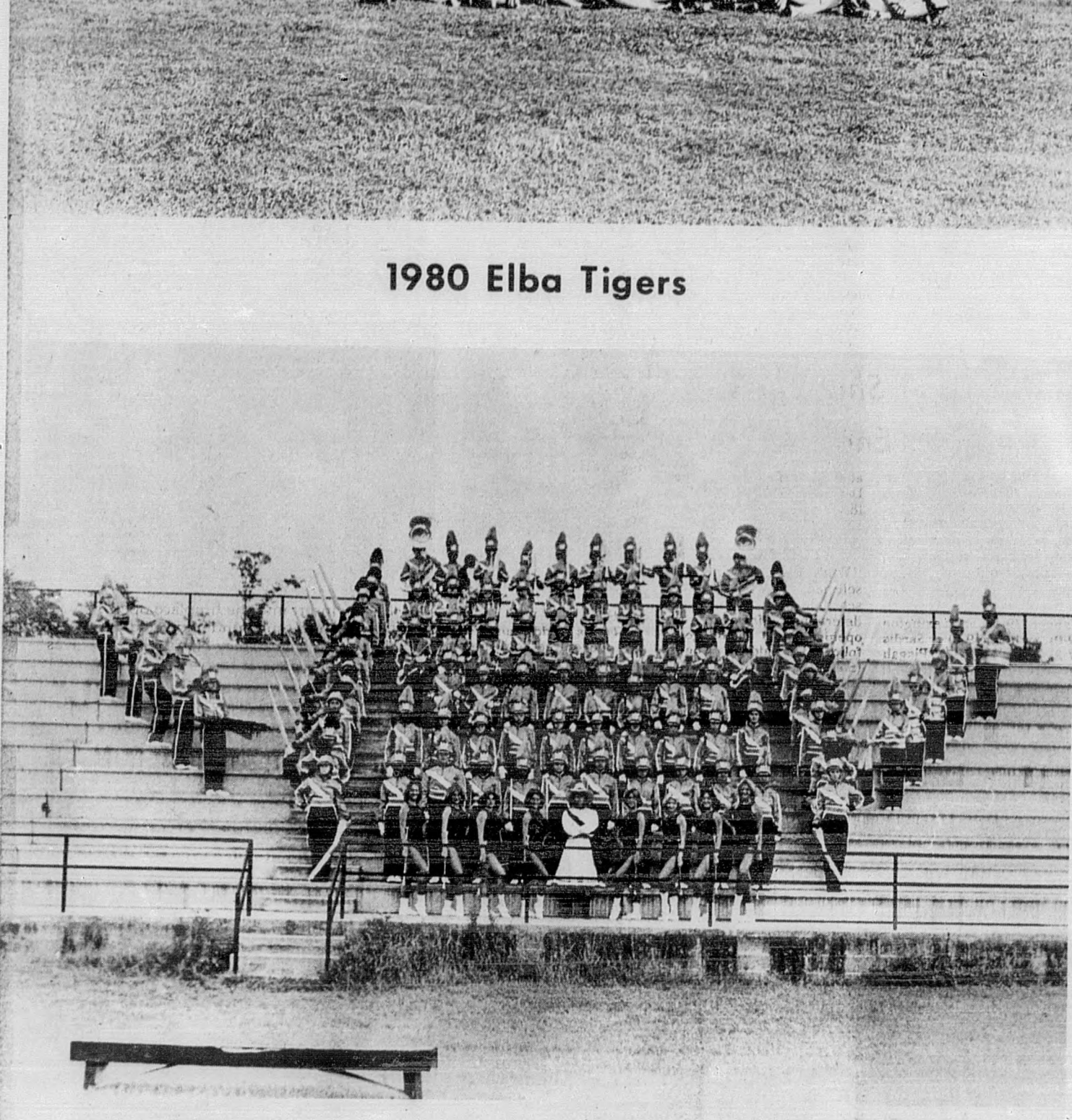
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Andalusia Slips Past Elba Tigers In Halloween Clash 7-6



1980 Elba Tigers



Elba High Marching Band

There's an old saying that "Close only counts in horse-shoes and handgrenades." The Elba Tigers found that saying to be true last Friday night as they got inside the Andalusia 15-yardline four times, but only put 6 points on the board and fell to the visiting Bulldogs 7-6.

The win upped Andalusia's record to 6-3, while the loss left Elba with an identical 6-3 slate.

Elba won the toss and elected to receive, and put the ball in play on the 23-yardline following a short return. The Tigers fumbled the snap from center on first down, but then turned things over to Don Horstead.

Horstead, who missed 3 games due to injuries, ripped for 5-yards on his initial carry and followed that with a 25-yard scamper out to the Andalusia 43-yardline. Bobby English hit the middle for a 1-yard carry, and then Horstead on an 8-yard jaunt as Elba rolled goal.

Two incomplete passes attempts left the Tigers facing third-down and 10, but Horstead ripped off runs of 8 and 5-yards to give Elba a first-down at the 20. A 10-yard burst by Bobby English moved the ball to the 10-yardline and the Elba fans were cheering wildly as their team was moving closer to the end zone.

Paydirt on every play. However, three running plays netted only 2-yards and on fourth down Russell Kelley's pass sailed over the hands of the intended receiver.

Andalusia moved to one first-down before having to punt, only to get the ball right back on an Elba fumble on the very next play. This time the Bulldogs got their offense on track, and behind the running of Mark Nichols and Dennis Freney moved a first down at the Elba 25-yardline. Andalusia got close as the 17, but fumbled and Elba's Greg Hudson recovered to stop the threat.

The two 3A rivals swapped punts on their next possessions. Elba winding-up with 4:40 left in the half. The Tigers came out running six straight plays, with Horstead carrying 4 times for 24-yards, and quickly moved into Andalusia territory. A half-back pass from Don Horstead to Wayne Parker was good for an 18-yard gain, and runs by Horstead and Russell Kelley moved Elba to a first-down at the Andalusia 14-yardline. Time was running out for the Tigers, however, and two passes fell incomplete and then Elba quarterback was sacked as the first half horn sounded!

At halftime the score remained deadlocked at 0-0. Andalusia received the second half kick and got good field position on a long return by Dennis Freney. The Bulldogs couldn't move, however, and had to punt. Elba took over their 16-yardline and faced a third-down and 1 after two good runs by Don Horstead. Horstead got the call again on third-down and easily picked-up the needed yardage, but had the ball pulled away by an Andy defender and the Bulldogs were now in business at the Elba 26-yardline.

Andalusia's Dennis Freney was stopped for a 2-yard gain on first down,

and on second down Bulldog quarterback Scott Hyde was hit in the backfield, but he slipped away and scrambled all the way to the 3-yardline. Andy gained 1-yard on two straight plays to get even closer, and then Freney bulldozed over for the touchdown. Victor Daniels added the extra-point as Andalusia grabbed a 7-0 lead with 6:08 left in the third quarter.

Elba took the ensuing kick and again started a drive that crossed midfield, but the Tigers lost yet another fumble again stopped themselves! The teams swapped punts following the next 3 possessions, with Elba putting the ball in play on the 13-yardline. Mike Amson picked-up 3-yards on first down, but two-straight fumbles resulted in no gain, and Elba faced a fourth down and 7 at the Andy 40. The Tigers elected to gamble on fourth down, and it paid off.

As Russell Kelley rolled around the end for 13-yards, a first down. Don Horstead gained 7-yards to move the ball to the 20, and Kelley fired a pass to Chris English, who fought his way to the one-yardline! Russell Kelley scored on the next play on a 1-yard sneak as Elba finally reached paydirt, but the extra-point sailed off wide to the left and Andalusia was still on top 7-6, with 7:02 left in the game.

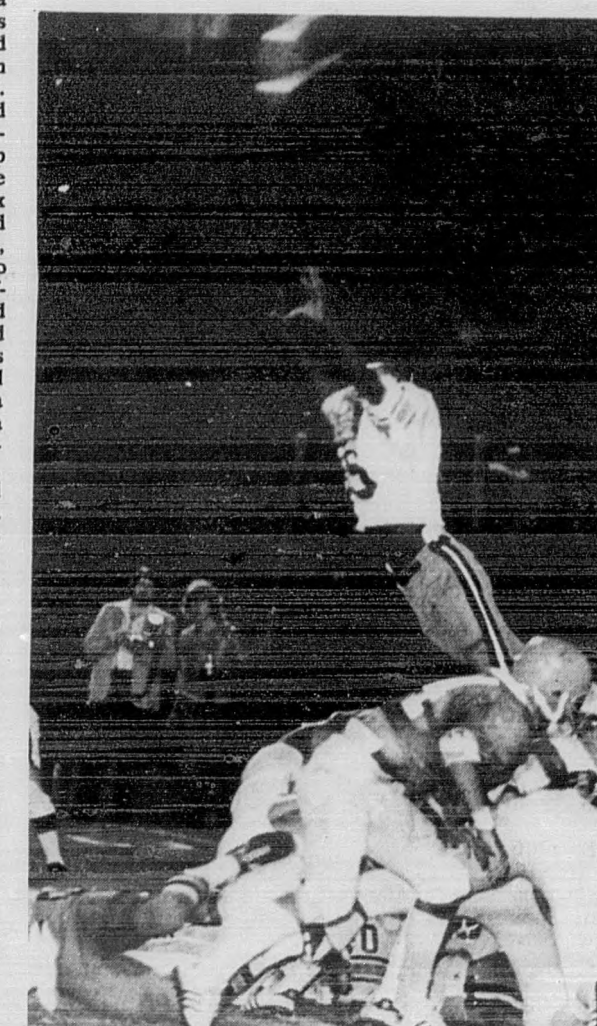
Andalusia gained only one first-down on its next possession and moved only 18-yards, but the Dogs ate-up almost 4-minutes of the clock. Elba got the ball back on their 27-yardline with 3:04 left in the game, and as the crowd stood and cheered the Tigers began to move! Three running plays picked-up 12-yards, followed

by a 14-yard pass from Russell Kelley to Chris English. Two more running plays failed to gain, but Mike Amson hit Dale Stinson with a 14-yard pass and Elba had reached the Andalusia 35. Don Horstead gained 3-yards on a sweep, and then Amson returned to the airways, hitting Chris English with a 16-yard completion down to the 6-yardline. Amson went back to pass on the next play, but could find no receivers open and scrambled for a 6-yard gain down to the 10. Elba, out of time-outs, hurried back to the line in an attempt to get off another play, and Amson heaved a pass toward the sidelines to stop the clock. The pass was intercepted, however, and the final horn sounded with Andalusia still on top 7-6.

Don Horstead gained 135-yards on 24 carries and completed a halfback pass for 18-yards to lead Elba, while Russell Kelley added 34-yards in 9 carries. Chris English caught 3 passes for 49-yards. On offense, leaders were Eddie Coleman (10 tackles, 2 assists), Greg Hudson (5 tackles, 4 assists) and Derrick Boutwell (5 tackles, 1 assist).

STATISTICS

ELBA	1st Downs	ANDY
16	213	16
81	Rushing Yds. 123	81
294	Passing Yds. 2	294
5-13-1	Total Offense 125	5-13-1
8/3	Fumbles/Lost 1-0	8/3
2-41	Punts-Ave. 6-33	2-41
25	Penalty Yds. 40	25



Elba's Eddie Coleman (85) files high in a recent Tiger ballgame.

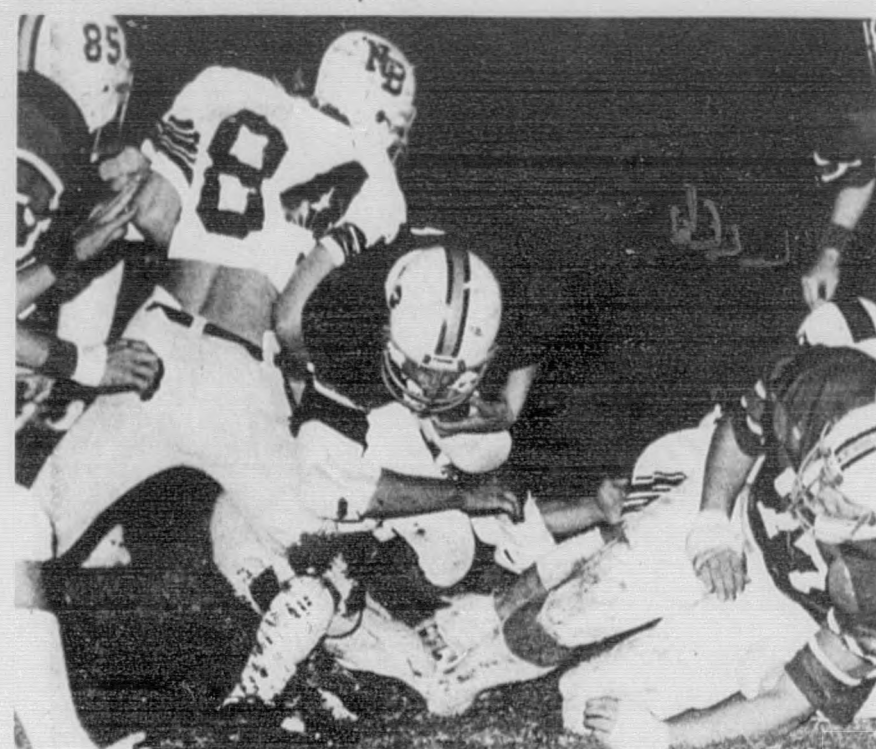
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POOR ORIGINAL

Kinston Stomps New Brockton 40-7

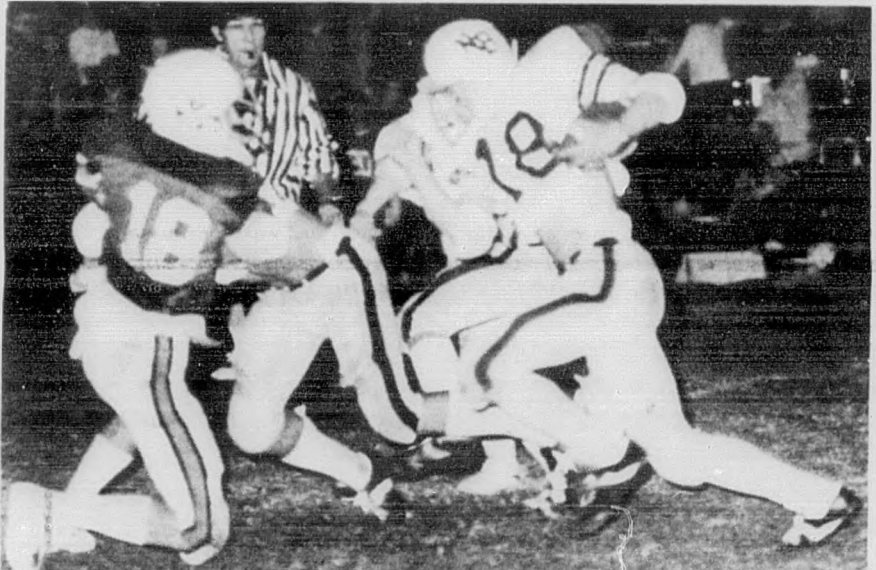
BY JIMMY JACOBS



A Kinston runner blasts through a gaping hole for a gain as the turf flies during last week's county championship game.



An unidentified Gamecock runner finds his path blocked by his own blockers during last week's 40-7 loss.



Brockton's Ricky Sipper (18) is full-speed as he hits a hole in the stingy Bulldog defense. On defense is Scott Sansom (18).

The Kinston Bulldogs defeated the New Brockton Gamecocks last Friday night before a home-town crowd of 407.

New Brockton played gift football as they turned the ball over 6 times - 3 via fumble and 3 by the pass route.

The Bulldogs made the most out of each turnover, converting 2 fumble recoveries and 2 interceptions for touchdowns. Kinston also used 1 fumble recovery and 1 pass interception deep in their own territory to thwart New Brockton drives.

New Brockton won the toss and elected to receive. No. 15 Darryl Wilkerson, doing the honors, kicked the ball into the endzone. The Gamecocks started at 1st and 10 from their own 20; on the third play from scrimmage #42 Joseph Burrows nevered 1 yard on 1st down from the Gamecock 26 where #32 Albert Wilson claimed the loose plank for the Bulldogs at New Brockton's 26-yard line.

On second and nine from the 25, the Bulldogs' Wilson carried it to the 7-yard line for a first down. New Brockton offered a stiff defense and held the Bulldogs to a 4th and goal situation from the 1-yard line where Chris Weeks carried it over from there. Pope's PAT was wide and with 6:44 left in the first quarter the Bulldogs owned a 6-0 lead.

The Gamecocks put 2 first downs together before a 3rd and 11 pass from Keith Roberts to Kevin Weeks fell incomplete. After a 31-yard punt, Kinston could not punt any kind of drive and punted back to the Gamecocks.

Both teams again traded punts as the first quarter ended. The Gamecocks put the ball in play early in the second quarter from their own 40-yard line, and marched 60 yards on 6 plays as Joseph Burrows carried it over from the 9-yard line. Weeks' PAT was good and New Brockton held a 7-0 lead with 6:49 left in the second quarter. Big plays in the Gamecock drive came on a 15-yard run by Burrows and a 19-yard pass from Keith Roberts to Ricky Sipper that put the ball down at the Kinston 9 where Burrows scored on the next play.

Kinston quickly stormed back as they marched 62 yards for the score in 8 plays. Big plays in the drive were two major distance penalties against the Gamecocks. Wilkerson sneaked over from the one on 1st and goal. Wilkerson also added the 2-point conversion on a roll-out to his left, and with 2:22 left in the half, Kinston boasted a 14-7 lead.

The Bulldogs were not through for the 1st half in the scoring department as #32 Jimmy Rodgers intercepted a Keith Roberts pass and weaved his way through the Gamecock defenders for a 38-yard interception return for a touchdown. With 43 seconds left showing on the clock in the first half, Kinston owned a 21-7 lead as Pope added the PAT.

Kinston received the second half kickoff as #30 Larry Hataway fielded the kickoff and lateraled back to Albert Wilson who raced 75 yards down the right side line untouched for the score. Pope's PAT made it 28-7 with only 14 ticks off the clock in the third quarter. Wilkerson kicked the ensuing kickoff out of bounds and the Gamecocks put it in play from their own 40-yard line. On the first play #42

Chris Weeks hit quarterback Roberts back from a jarring tackle and Roberts lost control of the ball where Weeks claimed it for the Bulldogs at the Gamecock 35-yard line. It took the Bulldogs 12 plays to cover the distance and #32 Jimmy Rodgers went over from the 7 on a sweep around left end. Pope's PAT was wide and Kinston had an insurmountable lead 34-7 with 6:42 left in the third quarter.

Kinston again used a New Brockton turnover to avoid a possible Gamecock score as #32 Jimmy Rodgers intercepted his second pass of the night at the Bulldog 19-yard line. The Bulldogs moved it out to their 48-yard line where Pope punted to the New Brockton 1-foot line, a 51-yard punt.

On second play #32, Rodgers, intercepted a Roberts pass. Kinston gained 1 yard on 1st down from the Gamecock 26 where #32 Jimmy Rodgers scooted around right end to make the score 39-7. Pope's PAT was wide, and with 9:49 left in the game, Kinston owned a 40-7 lead.

New Brockton drove to the Bulldogs' 1-yard line but had a 4th down pass fall incomplete in the end zone. Brockton's drive went 79 yards in 13 plays to see it come up for no score.

Kinston could not make a first down and punted back to the Gamecocks. Quarterback Keith Roberts threw 20



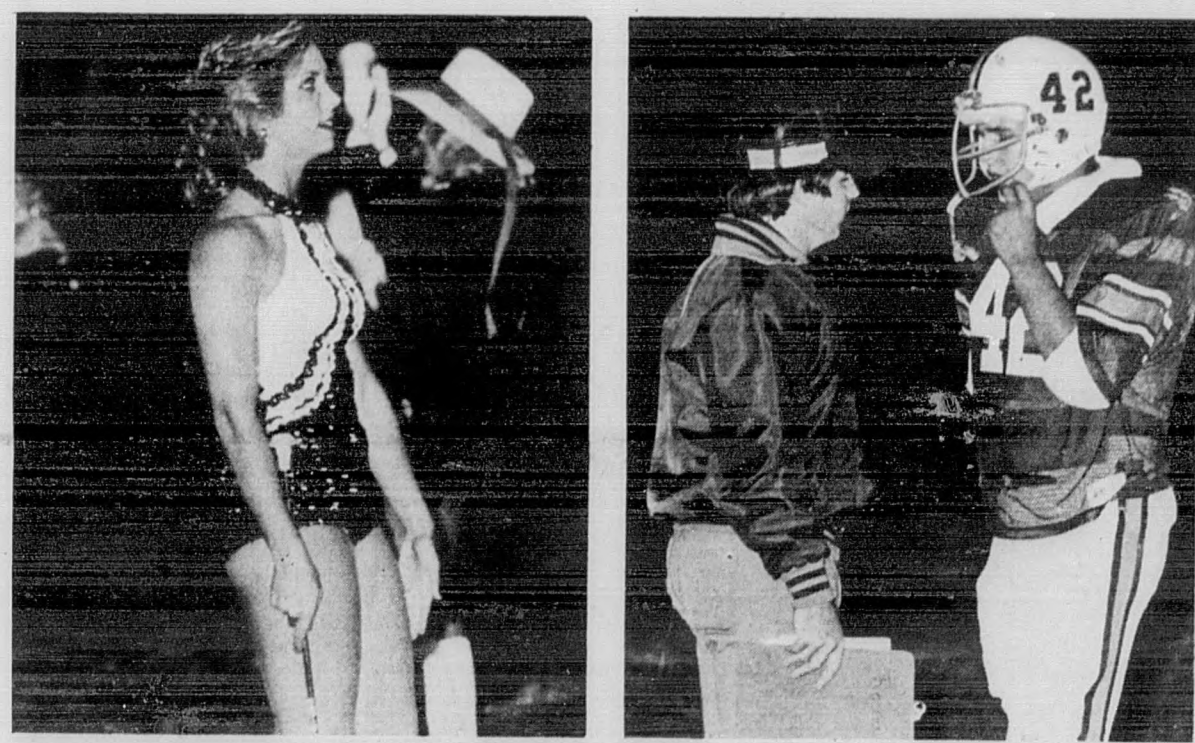
Bulldog speedster Albert Wilson (25) finds a crack in the New Brockton defense and rambles for a big gain.

Coffee Springs to take on Coach Wayne Purvis' Golden Bears. See y'all at the game!

yards to Robbie Shepard on 1st down, where Shepard lost the ball on a fumble. Kinston could not move the ball and New Brockton ran out the clock trying to get on the board again.

New Brockton and Kinston both are on the road this Friday night, as New Brockton travels to Skipperville to take on Long High, and Kinston is on the road to

STATISTICS	
NB	KIN.
13	1st downs 11
146	Yds. Rushing 194
93	Passing Yds. 14
239	Total Yds. 208
4/35	Penalties 8/70
2/29	Punts/Ave. 5/41.5
12/5/3	Pass Comp./Int. 2/1
3/3	Fumbles/Lost 1/0



This lovely majorette added sparkle to Friday's halftime show.

Kinston Coach Ricky Rainer discusses game plans with Chris Weeks (42).



Zion Chapel Routs Clío

39-12

The Zion Chapel Rebels built up a lopsided 32-0 lead in the third stanza and breezed to an easy 39-12 win over the Clío Yellowjackets last Friday night in Clío.

The Rebel offense churned out 30 first downs in the victory, and scoring for ZC were Walter Adair, Mike Carley (2), Daniel Sanders, Jimmy Vance and a "trio" on a fumbled punt - Mickey Nelson, Jimmy Vance and Daniel Sanders.

Leaders on defense were Andy Cape (18 tackles) and Blair Hurd (8 tackles). Making interceptions were David Sanders, Daniel Sanders and Walter Adair.

The Rebels close out the season on Friday night at home, against Wicksburg. Kickoff will be at 7:30.

(Stats by Ronny Shiver)



Zion Chapel's Coach David Collins talks things over with Jeff Senn (47) as the Rebels post another win.



Steve Lee caught this stringer of bass on a plug in a private pond. Picture by The Tackle Box.



Greg Hudson and Scotty Farmer hold 8 bass they caught in Whitewater Creek on plastic worms. Picture by The Tackle Box.



Babe Ruth began his baseball career as a pitcher.

Brantley Rallies In Second Half To Dump Straughn

The Brantley Bulldogs came roaring back from a 13-12 halftime deficit to post an exciting 26-13 win over the Straughn Tigers.

The win upped Brantley's record to 2-7, while the loss dropped Straughn to 0-9.

Straughn received the opening kick and stunned the Bulldogs by marching 72-yards in 10-plays for the game's first score. The drive came primarily on the ground although a key play in the march was a 35-yard pass from Sandy McVay to Kyle Smith. The touchdown came on a 10-yard run and McVay kicked the extra-point as Straughn grabbed a 7-0 lead with 7:30 left in the opening stanza.

Brantley's offense wasn't phased by the sudden score and responded with a scoring drive of their own. The Bulldogs march covered 56-yards in 7-plays, with a big pass interference call keeping the drive alive on a third-down play. The score came on a 27-yard gallop by speedster Terry Pease, but the extra-point attempt sailed wide as Straughn continued to hold the lead at 7-6 with 4:29 left in the first quarter.

Straughn couldn't move on its next possession and had to punt, with the

Bulldogs taking over on their own 41-yard line. Brantley's offense again proved it was ready to go and powered its way down the field on a 59-yard drive that came solely on the ground. Terry Pease rushed for 23-yards during the march, while Ricky Hall bulled for 24-yards and notched the score on a 1-yard plunge. A two-point conversion attempt fell short, but with 10:17 left in the half Brantley had taken the lead 12-7.

Brantley got the ball back on the Straughn 44-yard line following a short punt and appeared ready to move in for another score. The Dog's got as close as the 20-yard line, but fumbled, and Straughn's Kyle Smith caught the fumble in mid-air and raced 80-yards for a touchdown. A pass attempt for the 2-point conversion failed, as the Tigers owned a 13-12 lead with 7:04 left in the half.

The two squads swapped punts, and then swapped pass interceptions on their next possessions, and at halftime the visiting Tigers still owned a narrow 13-12 advantage.

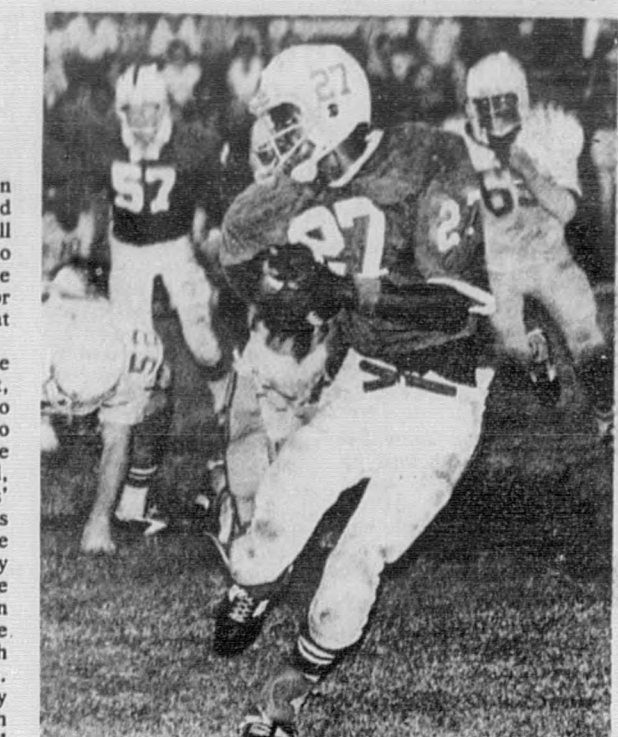
Brantley received the second half kick and began a ground attack that would cover 58-yards before bog-

ging down near the Straughn endzone. Ricky Hall and Terry Pease rushed for all the yards as Brantley got to the 4-yard line, only to be penalized 15-yards for holding, a penalty that proved fatal!

Straughn took over on the 23 after the drive fizzled-out, and with the aid of two 15-yard penalties marched to the Brantley 37-yard line. The Tigers' drive was stopped, however, when the Bulldogs' Mark Hill intercepted a pass and returned it to the

Brantley 42. Brantley as they were stopped on downs at the 25, but the defense again played tough and forced Straughn to punt. Mark Hill gave Brantley excellent field-position with an 11-yard punt return, and two-plays later he pulled in a pass from quarterback Tony Chandler for a 33-yard touchdown. Terry Pease ran for the two-point conversion and Brantley was on top 20-13 with 5:00 left in the game!

Brantley's Mark Hill continued to be the star of the game as he intercepted a Straughn pass only seconds later and returned it 24-yards to the Straughn 18-yard line. Terry Pease gained 5-yards on first down, and then Ricky Hall broke loose and rambled



Brantley's Terry Pease (27) rambled for 122 yards against Straughn to lead the Dogs to a big 26-13 win.

STATISTICS	
BRA.	STR.
18	1st downs 7
238	Rushing Yds. 33
31	Passing Yds. 44
269	Total Offense 77
17-1	Passes 12-12-3
2/1	Fumbles/Lost 1/0
2-25	Punts-Ave. 6-32
55	Penalty Yds. 73

Gamecock Pride

BY JIMMY JACOBS

The New Brockton Gamecocks were defeated last night by the Kinston Bulldogs 40-7. The score is very indicative of how the game progressed, as the Bulldogs used 4 Gamecock turnovers to score touchdowns, and 2 more New Brockton turnovers to stop drives deep in their own territory.

The Gamecocks, however, have all in the world to be thankful for. Their season has been marred by nagging injuries that have seen 3 senior starters out for the season and countless numbers of others that were hurt and could not go full speed every game. But they fought

back, and are 6-3 for the season, with Long High left for this Friday night. This seasonal record thus far is a tribute to the team, the coaching staff, the school and the town of New Brockton. This group of young men have fought adversity all season long, and have come out winners in the true sense of the word.

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The town of New Brockton should be proud of its school athletic program, especially football - and what goes with football better than a band? New Brockton has one of the best young and upcoming high school bands in the area.

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LEGAL NOTICES

ESTATE OF ADELENE D. JONES DECEASED

Letters Testamentary on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 20th day of October, 1980, by the Hon. James L. Sawyer Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

s/ Natalie J. King
Executrix

STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF COFFEE

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Security Agreement on all of the Debtor's machinery and equipment, dated August 10, 1978, executed by Frank Ashe Ford, Inc. (Debtor), in favor of Elba Exchange Bank, Elba, Alabama; said Security Agreement was assigned to Small Business Administration, an Agency of the United States, pursuant to Title 15 United States Code Section 631 et seq., by said Elba Exchange Bank on June 24, 1980; Security interest was perfected by that certain Financing Statement in favor of the Secretary of State, Montgomery, Alabama, dated August 14, 1978, as File No. 2-K0071 and 2-K0073; said perfected security interest was assigned by said Elba Exchange Bank in favor of the Small Business Administration, an Agency of the United States, pursuant to Title 15 United States Code Section 631 et seq., by said Elba Exchange Bank on June 24, 1980; Default having been made and continuing in payment of said Notes, Small Business Administration, the holder and owner thereof, has and does hereby declare said Note immediately due and payable, and has notified Debtor of its intention to sell the afore-described property at the sale herein advertised. Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the balance due on the Notes, and the proceeds of sale will be applied first, to the expenses incidental to sale; second, to pay any sum

expended in the care and preservation of the property; third, to principal and interest on the Notes. The property will be sold on an "as is, where is" basis, subject to any validly liened taxes, if any, and without representation, warranty or recourse, express or implied, as to title, use and/or enjoyment of said property described herein, upon the undersigned.

Women's Aglow To Meet

The Women's Aglow Fellowship in New Brockton will receive their official charter at their meeting this Saturday, November 8, at 9 a.m.

Guest speaker will be Mrs. Doris Hays, president of the Alabama Area Board of Officers. She is from Mobile, and is a member of the First Assembly of God there. She is married to Hiram B. Hays, Sr., and the mother of

C.C. Solid Waste Dept. To Be Closed

The Coffee County Solid Waste Department will be closed Tuesday, November 11, 1980. The department will be closed Tuesday and Wednesday. Garbage pickup will be made on Wednesday, November 12.

Cemetery Meeting To Be At New Home

There will be a meeting of the New Home Cemetery Association, Thursday, November 6, 1980 at 9:00 A.M. to discuss another year's upkeep of the cemetery.

All interested persons are urged to attend.

Card Of Thanks

Words can never express our thanks and appreciation to you for your prayers, thoughts, food and flowers that was given to us during the loss of our mother, May God richly bless you is our prayer.

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Cemetery Working

There will be a cemetery working at Resin Ridge, located on Highway 125 near Victoria, on Saturday, November 8, 1980, beginning at 8 a.m.

All interested persons are requested to come.

Gary Allen Completes Training

Gary Allen, Staff Manager, of the Elba District Office of Mutual Savings Life Insurance Company, has just completed a four day advanced management training school at the Company Home Office in Decatur, Alabama. Seven Field Managers from Alabama and Florida were in attendance at the School. Special study course and workshop sessions designed to present "problems" peculiar to management positions among the exchange of ideas and practical applications among the "students." The basic objective of this series of studies is better field management to better serve the Company's million and a half policyholders. Accredited diplomas will be shipped to the graduates of this problem solving school.

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SCHOOL MENUS

ELBA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MENU NOV. 10 - 14

MONDAY Vegetable Beef Soup Toasted Cheese Sandwich Red Velvet Cake Fruit Cup Crackers

TUESDAY School Holiday

WEDNESDAY Pork Chops Creamed Potatoes Green Beans Rolls Jello

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The purpose of this meeting is to solicit the views and opinions of Elba citizens regarding the proposed CDBG pre-application prior to its being submitted to HUD. This meeting will provide interested citizens with an opportunity to review the proposed CDBG program and its activities.

The proposed CDBG program as outlined in the pre-application includes the following activities:

ACTIVITY FUNDS REQUESTED
Rehabilitation \$328,000
Code Enforcement & Inspection 7,000
Contingencies 5,000
Planning/Management & Administrative 35,000

All interested citizens are encouraged to attend this important meeting and review the City of Elba's pre-application for CDBG funds totaling \$375,000.

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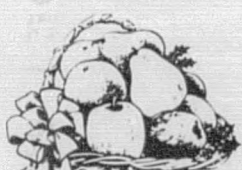
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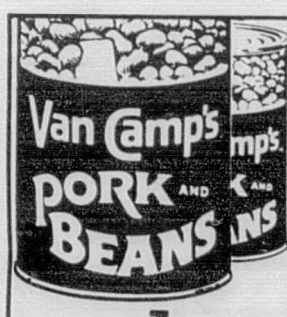
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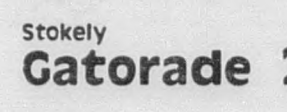
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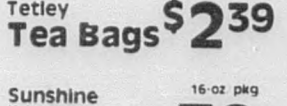
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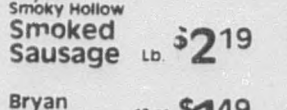
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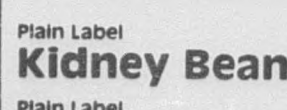
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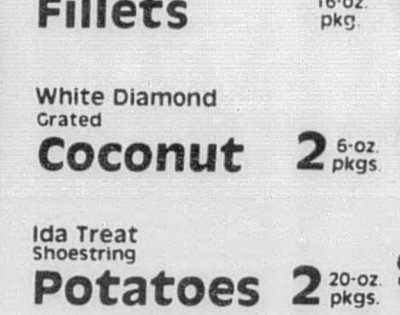
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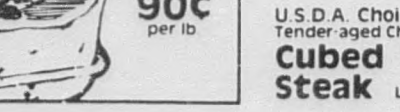
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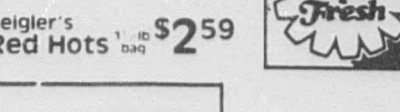
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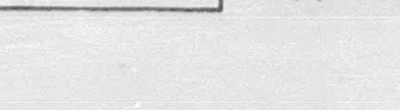
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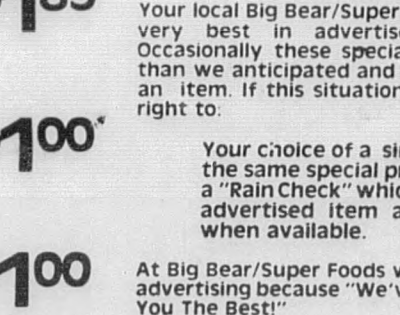
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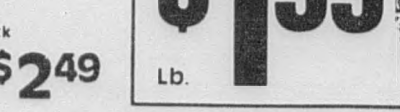
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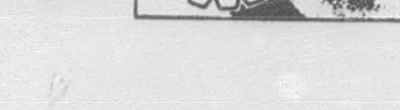
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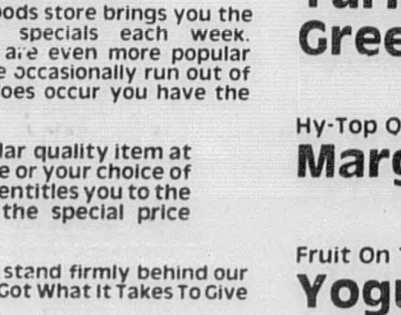
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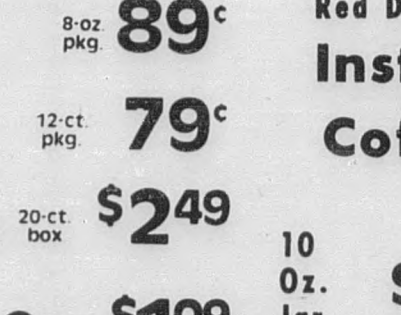
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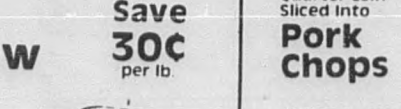
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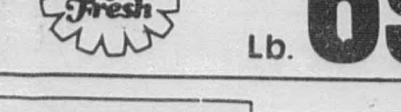
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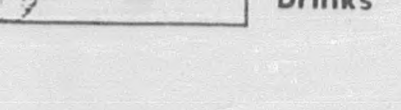
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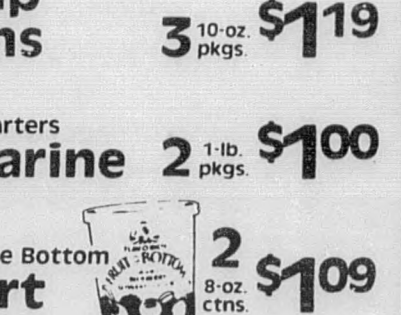
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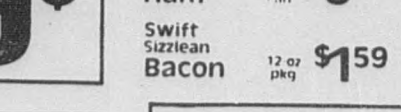
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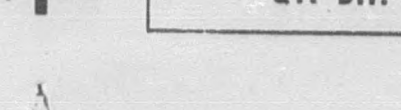
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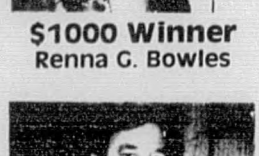


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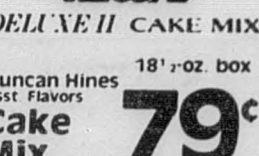
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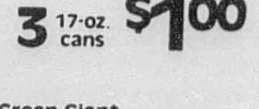
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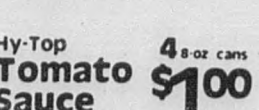
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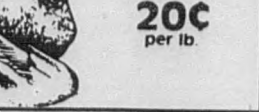
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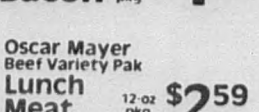
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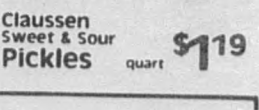
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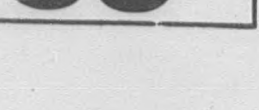
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Commission Gives Elba

Library \$5,000

The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, Nov. 10, at the Courthouse in Enterprise, and voted unanimously to give a \$5,000 donation to the Elba Public Library. A request for a donation came in the form of a letter from the Library Committee, and the commission agreed the new library could make good use of the \$5,000.

Monday's meeting actually began at 10:00 A.M., with all commissioners present. Present were commissioners Don Smith, Rex Boutwell, Max Reeves, Bennie Beckham, Gilmer Grant and Jack Hornsby, along with Probate Judge James Sawyer, Clerk Brunese Winston and County Engineer Bill McClain. Also present was commissioner-elect Charlie Mack Martin.

The first order of business was to open bids on wood products to be used in the Highway Dept., and the only bid received came from T.M.A. Forest Products. The bid was accepted after being studied by the engineer. It is that time of the year to name a bank as the depository for county funds, and 4 banks were represented at the meeting. Asking to be named as the county depository were The People's Bank, The Citizens Bank, Enterprise Banking Company and the Elba Exchange Bank. A decision on naming a bank was postponed until the next meeting.

The commission sent out 22 invitations to companies to make proposals for work on the Wilkerson Creek Watershed Project, and received 11 proposals. The low bidder was James E. Carter & Sons Soil Farm, in Andalusia, and the low bid was accepted.

The funding for the salary of Dennis Hobbs, the county's Felony Officer, again came under discussion, and the matter again proved to be confusing to all the parties involved. A grant of \$13,000 had been requested by a Law Enforcement Agency, of which the county would have to pay \$4,500, or 34% of the total. The commission agreed several weeks ago to continue Hobbs' employment, but only if the Sheriff's Dept. would cover all the expenses until funds became available.

Sheriff Paul earlier stated his department could cover the salary through the sale of contraband and cars, and at Monday's meeting Paul stated the county's share of the grant would be covered by the sale. The commission asked the Sheriff if the grant would pay Hobbs' salary for the last two months and Paul agreed to find out and report back at a later date.

Mr. Ed Hornsby and Mr. Jim Weatherford met with the commission and requested it close a road leading to Mr. Hornsby's property. The men stated the road is traveled heavily by people who hunt on the property without permission, and vandals who steal or destroy farm items. Only 3 families own property that adjoins the road, and the men reported they wanted to put a gate across the road. All the commissioners voiced approval of the request and asked the county attorney to draw-up the proper legal documents.

A mild surprise occurred when a letter of resignation was read from Coston Barlow, the county appraiser. Barlow's resignation was due to "a lack of consideration for more funds as requested," and Barlow's wife declared, "We can't survive on the price. After a brief discussion, the commission praised the work done by Barlow and accepted the resignation."



County Attorney Braxton Rowe and Joe Sawyer came during the afternoon session of Monday's meeting, and discussed a large pile of information the commission had acquired on recent trips to jail. The attorneys told the commission it needed to send out letters to some architects so it could receive written proposals for designing the jail. County Attorney Braxton Rowe stated, "Just give us what you've got and let us study it. We will then come back later and give the Commission a recommendation."

The commission gave all the reports to the attorneys and instructed them to report back on Nov. 24. In other action at Monday's meeting, the commission: ***was told by a member of the Cherokee Indian tribe that local schools could receive compensation for all students with Indian blood; ***passed a resolution requesting that the University of Alabama continue publishing a manual for county officials; ***agreed to open bids on 2 new patrol cars for the Sheriff's Dept. on Nov. 24; ***made a \$5,000 donation to the 5-Star Volunteer Fire Dept.; ***agreed to send out invitations to bid on pest control service; ***was told by Eng. Bill McClain the county had received its first gasoline tax check since the 4 cent tax was added and that it was 12% less than the amount expected; ***received a plaque from New Brockton Elementary School Principal Charles Cole for services the county provided; ***and, agreed to meet with people from all parts houses to discuss a method of buying parts.

Elba's Gayle White Is Named Manager At TSU Branch

Gayle F. White has been named business manager of Troy State University Dothan-Elba Branch. In making the announcement, Robert Paul, Vice-President, TSU-Dothan, stated this appointment was in keeping with the growth and development of the university. Ms. White holds an undergraduate degree in Marketing and a Master's of Business Administration. She has been employed as an Assistant Professor in the School of Business since 1974. Previously she has held several positions, including that of consultant, systems analyst and president of Transition Services. She was listed as an Outstanding Young Woman of America in 1976, 1977 and 1978, and was the City of Elba's Woman of the Year in 1977. She has been active in numerous local, state and national, civic and professional organizations.

Kyles Sentenced To 35 Years

John Earl Kyles was sentenced to 35 years in the state prison for the attempted murder of Paul Russell. The sentence was imposed Monday by Circuit Judge Riley Green. Immediately after the shooting incident, this newspaper received several telephone calls indicating a widespread belief that no action would be taken by the court system because it was a case of a black man shooting another black man. However, close monitoring of the case soon showed those involved that the courts would prosecute this case as any other.

Frazier Recaptured In Florida

Willie Fred Frazier, age 26, wanted for escape from the Coire County Jail on September 6, was recaptured in Panama City, Florida, this week and returned to Coffee County on Monday. He was serving 10 years for assault and battery. Reports are that he escaped three times during the September 6 weekend. He had been convicted once before for escape and had received an additional five-year sentence.

Motel Robber Given Life Term

Lloyd Andrews, of Level Plains, who was convicted of armed robbery of the Riviera Motel in Elba was recently sentenced to life without parole in the state prison. The long sentence was under a statute in the Alabama code allowing such sentence for habitual offenders. Court officials report Andrews had six previous felony convictions.



Broken sections of the helicopter lying in the heavily wooded swampy area amid broken trees. Special fuel cells resistant to rupture prevented a possible fire.



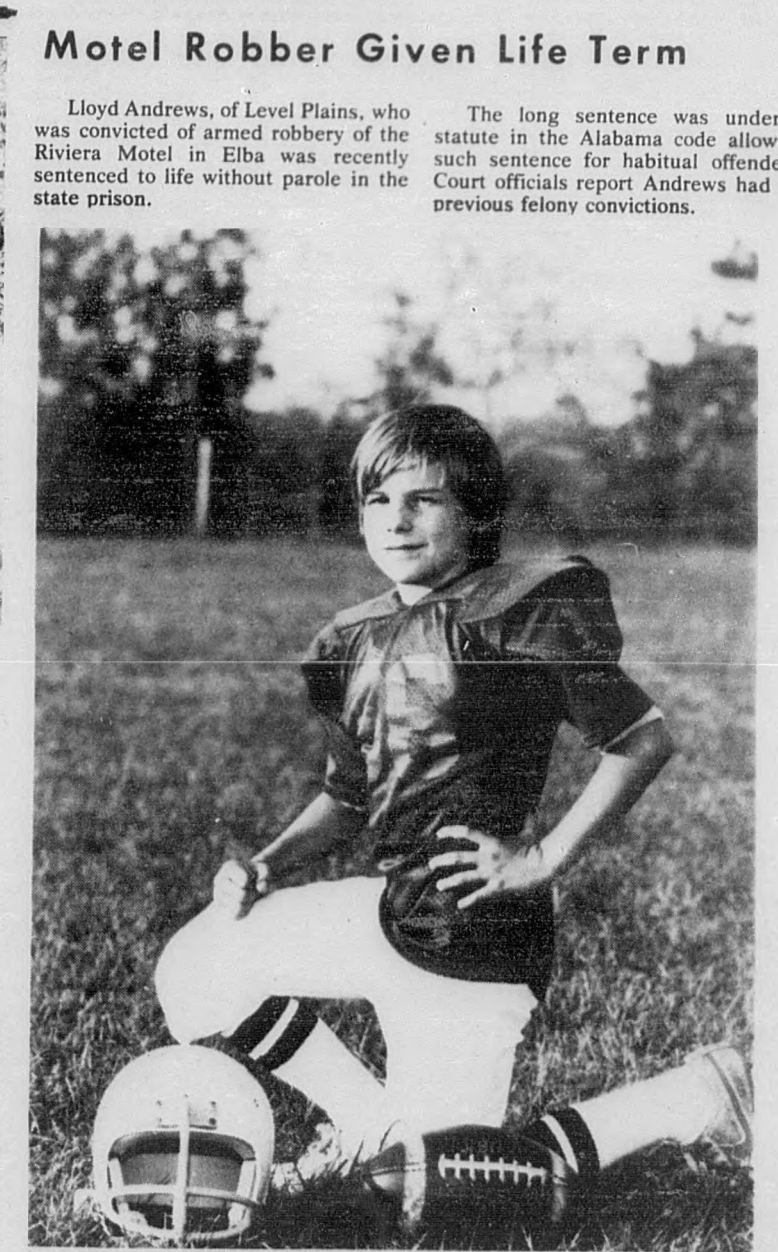
Herb Strickland, Ft. Rucker PIO, radios first official reports from the crash scene Friday morning.

Ft. Rucker Pilots Escape Injury In Copter Crash

Six Army aviators from Ft. Rucker escaped injury at 9:20 Friday morning when two UH-1H helicopters collided in mid-air while on a training mission one mile southwest of Skelly Field. Skelly Field is a small training field used by the Army to train pilots in take-offs and landings. It is located south of the Basin Community and east of Perry's Store, about ten miles south of Elba, but still in Coffee County.

Herb Strickland of the Ft. Rucker PIO reported that it was not known just what caused the accident nor how high the two aircraft were at the time of the collision. He said the crash was under investigation by the accident investigation board.

Brig. General Carl McNair visited the crash site Friday morning while the



Basin Youth Dies In Sunday Hunting Accident

Tommy DeWayne Cauley, ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cauley, died Sunday afternoon of a gunshot wound in the right chest. He was a 5th-grade student at Kinston High School, and lived in the 1454 N. Community. Sheriff Bruce Paul reported that the youth was shot accidentally in a hunting accident. He was hunting with a .410 shotgun, loaded with 7.5 shot. With him was his seven-year-old brother. The gun discharged, either when it was dropped or the trigger was pulled. The youth was rushed to an Opp hospital where he died about 5:45 p.m. Tommy was the oldest of three Cauley children, and those who knew him report he "was a good child." Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon (See obituary notices inside.) The youth played Little League football and was buried in the football jersey he was wearing in the above picture. Investigating the accident along with Sheriff Paul was Opp Police Chief Jerry Branson and the Coffee County

Tag Season Ends Nov. 15th

The deadline draws nearer for purchasing licenses and tags without a penalty. County and state business licenses are due by this Friday, and car tags must be bought by November 15 to avoid a penalty.

The Coffee County courthouse is open during the noon hour and on Saturdays until noon during this fall rush season.

Graddick Warns Of Travel Contest

Attorney General Charles A. Graddick has cautioned Alabamians in receiving postal cards from a company known as National Travel, Inc., in Sparta, Tennessee, that the business may be using deceptive practices.

Graddick said the card may lead recipients to believe they have won something, when, in reality, they must pay a fee of \$49.50 to receive a vacation to Florida. Consumers also must pay for the long-distance call to find out how to receive the trip, unless they send in

their telephone bill to the company for a refund. Some callers have been asked for a credit card number. Graddick said the company has been billed to that card without their knowledge, Graddick said.

Persons making the trip to Florida often find out only after they arrive, that the purpose of the trip is to sell them real estate. According to a consent judgement brought against the company by the Tennessee Attorney General's Office,

the card is not supposed to lead recipients to believe they have "won" anything. The card is supposed to inform them that it is an offer to purchase a vacation. When recipients call the number listed on the card, their questions must be answered honestly by the company. If the callers ask, they must be told that the purpose of the vacation plan is to sell them real estate. The Tennessee Attorney General's Office still is investigating the company and is considering a contempt citation.